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For more information including how to apply please visit: http://www.grants.gov/

Through this NOFA, HUD is announcing the availability of approximately \$44.9 million to fund Community Compass, HUD's integrated technical assistance (TA) and capacity building initiative. Community Compass is designed to help HUD's customers navigate complex housing and community development challenges by equipping them with the knowledge, skills, tools, capacity, and systems to implement HUD programs and policies successfully. The goal of Community Compass is to empower communities by providing effective technical assistance and capacity building so that successful program implementation is sustained over the long term. Community Compass technical assistance and capacity building activities include needs assessments, direct TA, development of tools and training, self-directed and group learning, data analysis and research activities, and regulatory and policy implementation support.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Please direct questions regarding the specific program requirements of this Program Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) to the agency contact identified in Section VII. Please direct questions regarding the FY 2015 General Section to the Office of Strategic Planning and Management, Grants Management Division, at (202) 708-0667 (this is not a toll-free number). Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access these numbers via TTY by calling the Federal Relay Service at 1-800-877-8339.

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- Housing Counseling Listserv Archive
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